

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicants gratefully acknowledge the Examiner's allowance of claims 16-19, 21-23, and 25-31.

In this Amendment, Applicants have cancelled dependent claims 20 and 24, which stand rejected as being indefinite. Applicants respectfully disagree that the claims are indefinite for at least the reasons discussed in the Response filed in this patent application on April 23, 2010. However, for purposes of efficiency, Applicants have cancelled dependent claims 20 and 24 from this patent application.

Further in the Response of April 23rd, Applicants respectfully requested rejoinder of claims 32-33 in the patent application, as provided for in the Restriction Requirement, since these withdrawn process claims require all the limitations of the now-allowed product claims. Applicants again respectfully request rejoinder of claims 32-33 in the application.

Applicants respectfully submit that the application is in condition for issuing a Notice of Allowance. If there are any questions regarding this Amendment or the application in general, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated since this should expedite the prosecution of the application for all concerned.

As provided for above, this paper includes a Petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response. Please charge any deficiency in fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket No. 011235.57359US).

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